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THE PROPOSED FUSION.

Non. Ben. King, the Probable Fusion Candidate for Governor.

Beauregard, Miss., Aug., 10 '81.

To Messrs. John E. Hull, J. B. Yellowly, J. B. Deason, J. P. Matthews and J. Taylor, Committee:

GENTLEMEN—In answer to your request for the use of my name by the National Greenback Labor party and the Republican party, as a candidate for Governor, I reply that in view of your request and like requests made by Democrats and Conservatives, I consent—it being understood that I am neither a Greenbacker, Republican or Democrat, but a Conservative, pledged, if elected, to use all the Executive power for these fundamental principles of a republican form of government, a free ballot and a fair count, and free speech and equal protection of the law of the persons, property and rights of all citizens.

BENJ. KING.

Evangelist Moody is endeavoring to make it Sunday all the while at Northfield, Mass., where he and Evangelists Whittle, Sankey, and others are holding three religious meetings of various kinds every day. This is not directly a movement to convert sinners, but a summer gathering of Christian workers for recreation and improvement. The clergymen of the region hold aloof, staying away from all the services, and discouraging their people from attending; but the gatherings are, nevertheless, of considerable size, being composed largely of visitors from a distance. Mr. Moody retaliates upon the clergy by such remarks as these: "I don't believe a man can preach Christ acceptably and preach and work in Sunday school, and attend funerals, and meetings, and lawn parties, and parties where they dance and fairs where they have grab-bags. The Holy Ghost sets a man apart from the world."

A Probe for Dr. Bliss.

Dr. Bliss' wonderful theory that the ball shot into the President's body did really go through his liver and swept around like a little comet among his intestines, is becoming daily exposed to greater and greater difficulties. Within two or three days one of the attending surgeons having examined under the microscope the discharges from the wound, reports that he does not find in these discharges any hepatic or biliary elements. If the liver was wounded such elements would infallibly be there, and the not finding them is as near as anyone can get to a demonstration that the liver was not wounded. Dr. Bliss has only one resource as to this, so far as we can see. He must declare forthwith that the very capable and thoroughly instructed surgeon who made the examination does not know what he is about. And now appears another difficulty. In the discharge there has come away a piece of cloth that the bullet had carried before it into the wound. That cloth has come in all probability from near the point where the bullet lies. If inflammatory adhesion has made through the liver and across and between the mass of intestines in front of it a canal so straight and clear that this cloth could wash out, why cannot a probe touch that ball.—(New York Herald.)

GEN. ROBERT LOWRY.

The Columbus Dispatch publishes the remarks made in the State Convention of 1877, by Hon. W. W. Humphries, of Lowndes, in putting Gen. Lowry in nomination; they were as follow:

MR. CHAIRMAN, AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION:

As a delegate from the county of Lowndes, I rise to place in nomination for the office of Governor, the name of that distinguished patriot, soldier, and statesman, Gen. Robert Lowry, of Rankin county.

I have naught to say, sir, in disparagement of any of the distinguished gentlemen whose names have been mentioned in connection with the chief magistracy of this State. On the contrary, I have rejoiced in listening to every word which has been spoken in their praise, or uttered in their commendation, for they were not only soldiers but patriots, they are Democrats and Mississippians, and no man feels more pride in the glorious fame they achieved upon the red field of battle than I do.

Were it in my power to encircle the brow of each with a laurel wreath of honor and emolument, I would gladly pay Mississippi's debt to Mississippi's sons. The delegation, sir, of which I have the honor to be a member, has come into this convention untrammelled with any instructions, and the only interest which the county of Lowndes has to subserve, is to place the Democratic banner in the hands of a standard bearer, who in triumph will wave it over the battlements of the enemy.

After a full and impartial survey of the whole field, it is our judgment that General Lowry is pre-eminent in the front rank.

As a military man, it is not claimed that he was above or below his distinguished competitors, but the peer of them all. Like the white-plumed Henry of Navarre, amid the smoke and the roar and the turmoil of battle, his lofty crest was ever glittering in the van for the rally of his host.

In the civil walks of life, Lowry has stood forth in advance of them all, to encourage, to console and arouse his countrymen.

From the time he appeared at Fortress Monroe and the National capital in behalf of Jefferson Davis—that grand old man, our loved, yet fallen but immortal chieftain, to whom God has given length of days, and permitted him to fill with deeds of glory—from that time and on, when the fierce passions of sectional animosity broke over the State, as the storms ride over the ocean, it was Lowry who spoke out to cheer and rouse Mississippians.

When the dark black cloud of Radicalism hung like a funeral pall over this sunny land of ours, and rained down all the ills and evils of an outrageous civil government, his heart never failed him. When the old Democratic ship had been out loose from its moorings and tempest-tossed upon a sea of passion, his hand guided the helm, whilst passion blew the gale.

Amid all the gloom and darkness of the past, when our political sky had neither sun, moon nor stars, from his brave heart and brain emanated an electric flash which illumined the heavens with a patriotic glow.

Upon every field and in every contest with the enemies of his country, his words of cheer have swept over the State, from its Eastern borders across to the great Father of Waters, and come ringing back from the northern boundary to the gulf-girt southern line, and all who would strike one blow for Mississippi, found in him a friend and advocate.

His character, too, like that of Epaminondas, is adorned with every virtue and stained with no vice. Mississippians in honoring him, will honor Mississippi.

A Timely Remark.

Little Rock Gazette, 13.]

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